

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	8:22CR259
	)	
vs.	)	
	)	
RAFAEL HERNANDEZ,	)	ORDER
	)	
Defendant.	)	

This matter is before the court on the defendant's Motion to Continue Trial [22]. For the reasons set forth in the motion, the undersigned magistrate judge finds good cause to grant the continuance. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the Motion to Continue Trial [19] is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial now set for May 2, 2023, is continued to **July 18, 2023**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and July 18, 2023**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).
3. **No further continuances will be granted without counsel for the parties requesting a hearing before the undersigned magistrate judge.**

**DATED: April 21, 2023**

**BY THE COURT:**

**s/ Susan M. Bazis**  
**United States Magistrate Judge**